

**PATENT****IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE****RECEIVED  
CENTRAL FAX CENTER****In re Application of:****Joseph M. Penninger  
Michael A. Crackower****Group Art Unit: 1632****FEB 03 2006****Serial No.: 10/518,599****Examiner: Singh, Anoop Kumar****Filed: 05/31/2005****Atty. Dkt. No.: SONN:064US****For: ACE2 ACTIVATION FOR TREATMENT OF  
HEART, LUNG AND KIDNEY DISEASE  
AND HYPERTENSION****CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION  
37 C.F.R. § 1.8**

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**I. AMENDMENT; AND II. RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT  
DATED JANUARY 3, 2006****MAIL STOP AMENDMENT****Commissioner for Patents  
P. O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450****Sir:**

This paper is submitted in response to the Restriction Requirement dated January 3, 2006,  
for which the date for response is February 3, 2006.

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**A Response to the Restriction Requirement** begins on page 4 of this paper.